

House Resolution No. 2403

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives realize that the rank of Eagle Scout is a performance-based achievement, the proud standards of which have been well maintained for many years; and

Whereas, Stephen Bongner of St. Louis, Missouri, received the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout during a Court of Honor ceremony held on March 17, 2005, at Christ Memorial Lutheran Church; and

Whereas, Stephen, a member of Boy Scout Troop 584, successfully met the requirements to attain Eagle status by completing his Eagle project which involved re-landscaping the south end of the grounds at The Oakland House in Affton; and

Whereas, during his eleven years in Scouting, Stephen mastered several challenging and diverse skills to earn twenty-four merit badges; and

Whereas, Stephen demonstrated his capability and willingness to exert leadership by fulfilling the duties and responsibilities of Librarian, Patrol Leader, Senior Patrol Leader, Bugler, Historian, Venturing District Secretary, and Klondike Derby Campmaster; and

Whereas, the son of Michael and Kim Bongner, Stephen developed immense personal growth and fitness by participating in the many assorted activities the Boy Scouts offers, some of which include working on staff at various PACAOs and Camporees, completing Junior Leader Training, and going on a High Adventure trip to the Florida Sea Base; and

Whereas, Stephen's attainment of the Eagle rank will be recognized at all levels of our society as being a great achievement that required considerable dedication and effort:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty congratulations to Stephen Bongner for the steadfast determination he displayed in his pursuit to attain the rank of Eagle and in wishing him continued success in all future endeavors; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Eagle Scout Stephen Bongner.

Offered by _____
Representative Michael Vogt
District No. 66

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 2403, adopted April 21, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker